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Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121)

20/06 considered non-compliant because it has failed to meet the requirement The amendment document filed on 37 CFR 1.121, as amended on June 30, 2003 (see 68 Fed. Reg. 38611, Jun. 30, 2003). In order for the amendment document be compliant, correction of the following item(s) is required. Only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendmen document must be resubmitted (in its entirety), e.g., the entire "Amendments to the claims" section of applicant's amendment document must be re-submitted. 37 CFR 1.121(h). THE FOLLOWING CHECKED (X) ITEM(S) CAUSE THE AMENDMENT DOCUMENT TO BE NON-COMPLIANT: 1. Amendments to the specification: A. Amended paragraph(s) do not include markings. B. New paragraph(s) should not be underlined. \Box C. Other 2. Abstract: A. Not presented on a separate sheet. 37 CFR 1.72. B. Other 3. Amendments to the drawings: 4. Amendments to the claims: A. A complete listing of all of the claims is not present. B. The listing of claims does not include the text of all claims (including withdrawn claims) 囟 C. Each claim has not been provided with the proper status identifier, and as such, the individual status of each D. The claims of this amendment paper have not been presented in ascending numerical order. E. Other: Status identifier for claims 5 - a should be For further explanation of the amendment format required by 37 CFR 1.121, see MPEP Sec. 714 and the USPTO website at http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/pac/dapp/opla/preognotice/officeflyer.pdf.

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